UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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JUDITH NELSON, M.D.,

Plaintiff,

: 24 Civ. 5236 (LGS)

-against-

<u>ORDER</u>

MEMORIAL SLOAN KETTERING CANCER

CENTER,

Defendant. X

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LORNA G. SCHOFIELD, District Judge:

WHEREAS, the initial conference in this matter is scheduled for September 4, 2024;

WHEREAS, no significant issues were raised in the parties' joint letter or proposed case management plan. It is hereby

ORDERED that the September 4, 2024, initial pretrial conference is CANCELED. If the parties believe that a conference would nevertheless be useful, they should inform the Court immediately so the conference can be reinstated. The case management plan and scheduling order will issue in a separate order. The parties' attention is particularly directed to the provisions for periodic status letters, and the need for a pre-motion letter to avoid cancellation of the final conference and setting of a trial date. It is further

**ORDERED** that the parties shall file a status letter when discussions with the private mediator have concluded or on November 18, 2024, whichever is earlier. It is further

**ORDERED** that if either party seeks to file a motion for summary judgment at the conclusion of discovery, they shall file a pre-motion letter pursuant to Individual Rules III.A.1 and III.C.6.

The parties should be aware that the Court does not extend the deadlines for fact and expert discovery absent compelling circumstances.

Dated: September 3, 2024 New York, New York

United States District Judge